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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the members of the B. C. Board of Trade will be held at the offices of the Institution (Bank of B. C. Building, Government street), on Friday, the 5th instant, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Business—To receive the Annual Report and elect officers for the ensuing year.

Punctual attendance is requested.

W. MONTEITH,
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JACOB SEHL BEGS TO TENDER HIS most sincere thanks to his neighbors, members of the Fire Department and others who kindly assisted in saving his residence from destruction by fire on the afternoon of the 4th of July. july5

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The Aldermans Remuneration

BY-LAW.

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1889, it is enacted that the Council of every Municipality may from time to time make, alter or repeal By-Laws for (*inter alia*) paying the Aldermen out of the annual revenue a sum of money not exceeding Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00): Be it therefore enacted, by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1st. There shall be paid to each Alderman for the time being of the said City of Victoria, out of the annual revenue of the said city, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00).

2. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as "The Aldermans Remuneration By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 26th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council, this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1899.

JOHN GRANT,
[L.S.] Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
july5 C. M. C.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

4th July, 1889.

GEORGE CHRISTIE TUNSTALL, Esquire, Stipendiary Magistrate, to be Government Agent, Gold Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works, Registrar under the "Marriage Acts," to receive applications for registration and record under the provisions of the "Land Registry Acts," and a Court of Revision and Appeal under the "Assessment Act," all for the West Kootenay District, and Collector of Votes for the Farwell Polling Division of the Electoral District of Kootenay, *vice* G. M. Sproat.

FREDERICK HUSSEY, Esquire, Government Agent, Kamloops, to be Gold Commissioner for that portion of the Electoral District of Yale which is situated to the west of the 120th meridian, and to the north of the southern limit of the Railway Belt, *vice* G. C. Tunstall.

JOHN CLAPPERTON, of Nicola, Esquire, J. P., to be a Recorder under the "Mineral Act," Assessor and Collector under the "Assessment Act," and a Collector under the "Provincial Revenue Tax Act," for the Similkameen District, *vice* Archibald Irwin.
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CAPITAL NOTES.

Application for the Extradition of Martin Burke.

The Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs Coming West.

Order-in-Council Relative to Civil Servants Commanding Militia—B. C. Indian Matters.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, July 4.—The Methodist missionary secretary has forwarded a letter to the government relative to British Columbia Indian matters. Hon. Mr. Dewdney is preparing a long report on the subject.

The United States Government has applied to the department of justice for the extradition of Burke, the murderer of Dr. Cronin.

The recent order-in-council relative to civil servants commanding militia battalions prohibits the deputy minister altogether, and other officers without the consent of the official head.

Mr. Vankoughnet, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs, left for British Columbia to-day.

ALASKA NEWS,

The Phantom City in the Ice at Glacier Bay—Mining Notes.

(Alaska Free Press.)

Even those who were at first sceptical regarding the future of the silver mines on Sheep Creek now generally concede them to be the richest yet shown up in Alaska. And indeed they are fast proving themselves as such, and in every instance where development work has been done on any of the various veins, an increase in width and richness of ore has been the result.

While the Elder was at anchor in Glacier Bay, a boat in charge of two seamen was lowered for the purpose of getting ice and the passengers crowded into her to be taken ashore to view the Glaciers. As they neared the shore a mammoth piece of ice broke from the glacier and fell into the bay, causing the sea to break six feet high, sweeping the boat ashore and wetting everybody in it. Fortunately no one was hurt.

The Bear's Nest Co. received a large amount of machinery on the Elder, and are pushing their works ahead as rapidly as possible. The A. M. & M. Co.'s saw mill is running night and day sawing timber for the mill. A railroad track has been laid from the saw mill to the mill site, and a small locomotive will haul the timbers to their place. This company are showing an unusual amount of push and energy, and being backed by unlimited capital bids fair to rival the famous Treadwell plant.

Mr. B. A. Beyers, tramway engineer for the Nowell Gold Company, paid us a pleasant visit this week. Mr. Beyers informs us that it is going to take more time to complete the tramway than was at first expected, on account of having no means of transporting their materials other than on the tramway itself, and as they can only work at one place at a time they can not work as large a force of men as was formerly intended. He also says there will be no difficulty in getting it into good working order.

Evidently the North Star, a small leaflet published at Sitka, Alaska, in the interest of Alaska mission work, is trying to stir up the so-called "Indian outrages" again. No sooner does the Rev. Sheldon Jackson take charge of the editorial department than he must show his hand and attempt again to create sympathy and interest among eastern people for missionary work in Alaska. It seems to us that the proper thing for the Rev. Sheldon to do would be to devote his attention to interests of education in Alaska and let the missionaries attend to the religious part of the work.

Minor W. Bruce, special correspondent of the New York Tribune, departed this week for Glacier Bay to make an attempt to get negatives of the wonderful mirage which appears there in the bosom of the Pacific glacier. He is accompanied by R. G. Willoughby, who is the only white man who has ever as yet seen the wonderful apparition, and who has already taken two negatives of the city. Pictures printed from these negatives can be seen at DeGroff's photograph gallery, and all artists who have yet seen them pronounce them pictures taken from a mirage or shadow and not from a real or substantial object. It is to be hoped that the weather will be favorable upon Mr. Bruce's arrival at that place, and that he will be so fortunate as to be able to see the mirage. It must be clear weather, and is then seen only for two or three days in the longest days in June, and is best seen when the sun is going down behind the Fairweather mountains and the moon is rising in the east. Other mirages of ships, islands and glaciers have been seen by other men who are present in Juneau, and if the reflexion of this strange city can be seen and presented to the world, it will be one of the greatest wonders of the age.

HONG KONG FLOODED.

A Rain Storm Causes Destruction of Lives and Property.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—The steamer Rio De Janieiro arrived late last night from Hong Kong and Yokohama and brings the following news:—

One of the most destructive rain storms in the history of Hong Kong occurred May 29 and 30. The total rainfall for 33 hours was 29½ inches. At times the fall measured nearly 3 inches per hour.

The Hong Kong papers do not venture to estimate the loss of private property, such as residences, stores, &c., but place an estimate of loss to public property at about $200,000. Scarcely a house, within an area of 32 square miles but what suffered. All the roads and streets in the colony were turned into mud heaps, and innumerable shops and dwellings are flooded. Almost every minute during the storm vivid flashes of lightning lit up the streets, which seemed more to resemble the bed of the river than roads in the centre of a town. The water pipes burst at every corner, the hill roads were cut up almost beyond recognition, and level roads were piled with earth and loosened stones and debris of the upper streets, so as to be almost impassable.

Eight men were killed by lightning in a mat shed. One Chinaman was killed by the falling of a mat shed. On one street a man and boy were drowned in a flooded house. In one district a house collapsed burying several people, four of whom were seriously or fatally injured. One man was drowned in the street and another drowned in a house while it was being borne by the current through a street. Fifteen lives in all were known to have been lost when the steamer sailed for America.

MOTHERS who have delicate children can see them daily improve and gain in flesh and strength by giving them that perfect food and medicine, *Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites.* Dr. W. A. Hulbert, of Salisbury, Ills., says: "I have used Scott's Emulsion in cases of Scrofula and Debility. Results most gratifying. My little patients take it with pleasure." Sold by all druggists. 50c. and $1.00.

WESTMINSTER NEWS.

(From the Columbian.)

A large number of fishing boats went down to the mouth of the river this morning to await the commencement of the sockeye run.

The fine steel boiler, made in Toronto for the Royal City Mills tug Active, arrived to-day and will be put in place this week.

The Westminster baseball club is badly disorganized and the outlook for the remainder of the season is blue. Surely the club can be got together again.

The Surrey council purpose building two bridges across the Nicomekl river, one on the line of the Kensington Prairie and Huntley roads, and the other on the Clover Valley road. Tenders for the work will be in at next meeting of the Surrey council, and the bridges, which will cost about four or five hundred dollars each, are to be completed this fall.

On Wednesday afternoon the marriage was celebrated of Mr. Wm. Blair, school teacher of Upper Sumas, and Miss Bertie Rhoades, niece of Mrs. O. B. Ackerman. The bride has many friends in this city, and Mr. Blair bears a high reputation. A large number of presents, useful and ornamental, were received. The newly wedded pair left by the one o'clock train for Vancouver, en route to Victoria, where they will spend the honeymoon.

THOSE HOSE REEL RACES.

The Westminster Columbian Says the Visiting Teams Had Not the Slightest Chance of Obtaining Fair Play.

Referring to the hose reel contests at Vancouver on Monday, the Westminster Columbian says:—"The hose reel contests at Vancouver on former occasions have never been satisfactorily concluded, and the same events this year did not result any more favorably than in the past. If anything, the races this year have increased the bitter feeling which has existed, unfortunately, since the first race at Vancouver in 1887. C. H. Albertson, captain of the Seattle Fire Department, and G. F. Scoullar, captain of the Hyack hose reel team, called at this office to-day and made a statement of the case as it really stands. In the hose reel race, Seattle ran first, and finished in 35 seconds. An accident threw the Hyacks out of the race and Victoria ran next, doing the work in 36 3-5 seconds, Vancouver No. 1 then ran in 34 seconds, although it is claimed no time was kept. A protest was entered against the heat by all the visiting teams, on the ground that three men instead of two were employed to reel off the hose, which is contrary to the rules of the association. It was also claimed that the captain of Vancouver No. 1 pulled back the hose thirty feet, making the race thirty feet shorter for his men. Vancouver No. 2 ran, and no time was kept, but nevertheless the team was given second money. The visiting captains called for a decision on the points raised, and when all objections were overruled in favor of Vancouver they withdrew their teams in disgust and refused to have anything more to do with the races, having reached the conclusion that Vancouver was bound to get the money anyway. This is how the matter stands, and the teams refusing to take further part in the races were evidently fully justified in the course they pursued. None of the teams will take part in future races at Vancouver, feeling that there is not the slightest chance of their obtaining fair play."

A BRUSH IN THE STRAITS.

The Islander Tries to Overtake the Olympian—The Result About an Even Thing.

The steamers Islander and Olympian had a brush in the Straits yesterday on the return trip from Port Townsend. The event caused considerable interest on both steamers and also in Victoria, where it was understood that a race was on between the two boats. A large number of people went out to Beacon Hill and at about 8:30 the distance between the two steamers could readily be discerned. The Olympian was seen to be about two and a half miles ahead, and going gallantly along at a lively rate. Volumes of black smoke poured out of her funnel and steam was evidently kept at full head. She arrived in the harbor and had just got her lines ashore when the Islander also entered the harbor. There was perhaps 12 or 14 minutes between the two whistles. As the Olympian passed the C. P. N. dock she was given three cheers and when the Islander was docking the Olympian's passengers and crew gave her three cheers and a tiger, which Capt. Irving acknowledged with three whistles.

From officers and passengers of both steamers it was learned that the Olympian started from Port Townsend eight minutes ahead of the Islander, owing to the position of the Mexico in the harbor. When the Islander got outside there was a long gap between the two steamers. The screw for a time seemed to gain a little on the paddle steamer, but after that simply held her own, and it would be difficult to say which steamer had the advantage for three hundred yards. Had they started even they would probably have come in that way. The Olympian had just been thoroughly repaired and was in fine condition, while the Islander has to receive considerable repair before being at her best. One of her screws has two plates half gone and the other two broken, so that a great deal of power is lost. If both steamers had been in equally good condition it is almost certain that the Scotch boat would have more than overhauled the American boat in yesterday's brush. The Islander will soon receive a new screw and another opportunity may occur to test the speed of the two boats.

The time made to Port Townsend yesterday morning was 2:20, while that on the return trip was 2:35. The tide was against the Islander in the former and she was not running at full speed.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

The conservatives of South Essex, Kingsville, Ont., have nominated Chas. E. Fox for the local house.

The Scott Act was repealed in Elgin County, Ont., yesterday, the vote being, for repeal 1,280; against 371.

An Indian charged with attempted rape at Regina, has been sentenced by Judge Richardson to receive twelve lashes and three months imprisonment.

Rev. James Berclay, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Montreal, conducted services at Balmoral Castle before the Queen and royal household last Sabbath and afterwards dined with Her Majesty.

At Coburg, Ont., the evidence in the celebrated case of Conmee against the C. P. R., closed yesterday. Hon. Edward Blake commenced argument for the defendants and said he will speak two days longer. Dalton McCarthy and Donald McMaster will reply.

TWO OF A KIND.

Blacksmith — "S-s-s-see h-he-here, B-b-b-bob! St-st-strike qu-qu-quick, the-the-re."

Helper—"Wh-wh-where?"

Blacksmith (in a discouraged jumble) —"Nev-ev-ever m-m-mind, it's c-c-cold now."

CABLE NEWS.

The Select Committee to Inquire into Royal Grants.

Rescuing the Entombed Miners at St. Etienne, France.

The Massachusetts Rifle Team Defeat the Sussex Volunteers at Brighton—The Shah's Visit.

An Important Committee.

LONDON, July 4.—It turns out that the action of the government in deciding to have a select committee appointed on royal grants was not taken on their own motion but was entirely due to pressure brought to bear upon Lord Salisbury by the opposition. At a meeting of the leaders of the Liberal party on Tuesday it was decided to insist upon the appointment of the committee, and the Hon. William Henry Smith, first Lord of the treasury, was notified of the decision. Among the gentlemen who attended the meeting were Gladstone, Earl Granville, Lord Herchill, Sir William Vernon Harcourt and Mr. Morley. When the motion for the appointment of this commission was presented in the commons an effort was made by the Radicals to include in committee of inquiry the subject of the civil list for the purpose of showing that the Queen herself was abundantly able to make proper provision for the marriage of her grand-children. This attempt was unsuccessful although it was supposed by Mr. Gladstone. The committee, when appointed, will settle upon what principles all future grants of public funds to members of the Royal family shall be made. The concession of this committee wrung from a Tory government is looked upon as a great Radical triumph.

Davitt on the Stand.

LONDON, July 4.—Michael Davitt again testified before the Parnell commission to-day. He disclaimed all knowledge of the books kept by the ladies' league and was entirely ignorant as to the manner in which the £700,000, which passed through the hands of this order, had been expended, and the Fenian black list was the list of persons expelled from the brotherhood for stealing its funds. Attorney-General Webster read extracts from the Irish World and asked Mr. Davitt if he approved of the sentiments they contained. The witness most emphatically disapproved of many of the sentences read and expressed the opinion that the language quoted had proved injurious to the cause of Ireland.

The Shah Visits the Theatre.

LONDON, July 4.—The Shah, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and other members of the royal family, drove to the Empire theatre this evening, where a mixed programme was provided for his entertainment. The decorations of the theatre were most superb in honor of the Shah and were provided by Banker Sassoon at his own expense.

Yankees Triumphant.

LONDON, July 4.—The Massachusetts rifle team won another victory to-day, this time defeating the Sussex volunteer team at Brighton by a total score of 988 to 910. The volunteers scored 328 at the 200-yard range to the Americans' 316; but at 500 and 600 yards the Englishmen fell behind. The day was fine but there was a strong wind.

Prince Albert Victor's Allowance.

LONDON, July 4.—In the Commons this evening the motion for a provision for Prince Albert Victor for his approaching marriage with the Princess Victoria of Prussia came up. Wm. H. Smith, First Lord of the Treasury, moved its reference to a select committee on royalty grants. Gladstone seconded this motion and it was passed without a division.

A Royal Garden Party.

LONDON, July 4.—General Boulanger was present at the garden party at Marlborough House to-day and met the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Shah and many other of England's most noted people. There was a large and brilliant company.

The St. Etienne Disaster.

PARIS, July 4.—Fourteen of the entombed miners at St. Etienne have been rescued alive, but in a terrible condition, and it is doubtful if any can survive their sufferings. Their rescue was effected with the greatest difficulty and was attended with serious danger to the brave miners who volunteered to explore the pit for the purpose. The total number of dead is now estimated at 185. Money for the unfortunate victims of the disaster and their families is pouring in from all quarters. M. Guyot, minister of public works, and M. Constans, minister of the interior, left Paris today for the scene of the disaster to give such aid as they can in their official capacities.

The Mining Disaster.

PARIS, July 4.—The work of rescuing the entombed miners at St. Etienne is going forward but with great difficulty, as two pits are still on fire. The scenes around the mouth of the pits are heartrending in the extreme. President Carnot has ordered Government relief to be sent here for the families of the miners.

News From Samoa.

APIA (via London), July 4.—The German gunboat Wolf has been despatched to the Marshall Islands to bring back King Malietoa, whom the Germans carried off from here as a prisoner two years ago.

ASHORE ON THE SANDHEADS.

The Alaska Steamer Karluk Goes Ashore at Midnight Near the Fraser Sandheads Light.

Capt. Jagers, of the steamer R. P. Rithet, spoke the Alaska steamer Karluk on the way down yesterday afternoon, ashore on the sandheads of the Fraser, between the buoy and the light, about half a mile out of the channel and about two miles out of her course. Capt. Thomas stated that the Karluk was on the way from the cannery of the Karluk Packing Co. to Port Townsend for freight, and had taken coal at Nanaimo. It was 12:15 a. m. yesterday morning when the Karluk struck ground, the weather being very thick at the time. Capt. Thomas wanted the Rithet to give him a pull, but Capt. Jagers said he would report to Manager Irving first before risking the steamer's safety. Capt. Irving was informed of the facts as soon as the Islander arrived from Port Townsend, and he ordered the Rithet to sail at midnight. The Rithet will pull the Karluck off her dangerous position, if possible, and then take her in tow and bring her to port.

Capt. Thomas said that the Karluk was making water, but the pumps easily controlled it. Capt. Rudlin passed her with the Yosemite yesterday afternoon. The weather was not very rough, and the steamer seemed to lie easily.

EAST WELLINGTON SPORTS.

Tom Watson, the Victoria Runner, Captures Three Prizes—The Celebration a Great Success.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NANAIMO, B. C., July 4.—The sports at East Wellington were a great success; everything, even the weather, being favorable. The races were started without much of that tiresome delay that characterizes so many of these celebrations. Everyone appeared satisfied with the arrangements made by the committee and no "kicking" was heard during the day. The track was in good condition and the races and sports interesting. Several local sports from various parts of the Island have arrived to compete.

The "C" Battery band earned universal praise for their playing. Dancing took place on the large platform last night.

The fireworks did not arrive, but are expected on the City of Puebla. A large crowd assembled from all the surrounding districts.

The race track was in very good condition. The winners were as follows:

100 yards—Tom Watson, of Victoria.
200 yards—H. Peck.
400 yards—Tom Watson, of Victoria.
Half-mile — Underground workmen only—Jones, 1st.
Half-mile—Open to all—Tom Watson.
Half-mile—D. Kilpatrick.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The air was full of dust yesterday—but the sprinkler sprinkled not.

The carpenters of Vancouver are out on a strike for nine hours a day and $3 wages.

The licensing board will sit again today at noon to consider the Carey block case.

Delegates to the Masonic Grand Lodge should sit for photos at Hall & Lowe's before returning home. *

The inmates of the P. O. Home were entertained by Mr. Wm. Andean at his residence yesterday.

The members of the I. O. G. T. lodge, with their friends, enjoyed themselves at Somenos yesterday.

The fourth of July was semi-officially observed as a holiday in Victoria. Almost all places of business were closed during the afternoon.

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The Independent Order of Janissaries and friends picnicked at Cordova Bay yesterday, the Independent cornet band supplying sweet music.

The band of H. M. S. Swiftsure gave a grand concert at Vancouver on Wednesday night. Yesterday the war ships left on their northern cruise.

Yesterday was admitted by almost everyone to be the most dusty day of the year. And yet the man of the sprinkler was taking his regular holiday.

The best plan for keeping butter, meat, milk, etc., sweet and clean in hot weather is to get a refrigerator from McLennan & McFeely, Yates street. *

In the Provincial court yesterday, Edwin Sohnson, Q. C., presiding, Charles McDougall was convicted of vagrancy. Sentence deferred until Saturday.

A conspicuous feature of the Caledonian's society's gathering yesterday was the utter absence of anything approaching disorder. No dispute of any kind arose.

The Seattle Press has been sold, the purchasers being Messrs. W. E. Bailey and L. S. J. Hunt of the Post-Intelligencer. The new management will not take charge until August 1st.

The water front at about 8:30 o'clock last evening was a scene of unusual activity. The three steamers, Olympian, Islander and Yosemite, all came in within fifteen minutes time.

At the Caledonian picnic yesterday the prize for the best dressed boy in Highland costume was awarded to Master Chas. J. Sheppard, who has now won the prize three years in succession.

The steamer Islander made her regular trip to Vancouver this morning, the Yosemite tying up at the C. P. N. Co's dock until further orders. The Islander will be docked at Esquimalt in a few days.

The passengers from Vancouver by the Yosemite last night had the pleasure of seeing a whale, not far from the Sandheads. The monster of the deep came within 300 feet of the steamer.

Police Officer Lindsay took possession of a fine shot gun of English make, which he found in the possession of a trampish looking individual yesterday, on suspicion that it had been stolen. The gun is now at police headquarters, where the owner can obtain it.

J. Lascelle's racing mare, "Mayflower," on her return to Nanaimo from Vancouver, while being landed from the steamer, backed over the gang-plank into the water. The animal swam ashore, and with the exception of some severe scratches on the legs, was but little injured.

PERSONAL.

John E. Chrysler, business agent for Karl Gardner, was in the city yesterday arranging for the appearance of the famous German comedian here next week.

Mrs. T. L. Briggs and Miss Briggs arrived from Westminster by the Rithet yesterday.

A. B. Gray returned from Westminster by the Rithet yesterday.

Capt. Palmer returned from Vancouver last night.

J. A. Mara, M. P., arrived from the mainland last night.

G. Leiser returned from Vancouver by the Yosemite last evening.

Dr. Malcolm Roberts, of Portland, Me., is spending a few weeks in Victoria.

Evan Evans, wife and daughter, arrived by the Yosemite last evening.

MARINE.

Robt. Ward & Co. have chartered the German barque Doris Broderson to load salmon and general freight for London.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Arrived ss. Astral, Rotterdam; ss. City of Paris and ss. Darian, Liverpool; ss. Chester, Rotterdam.

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AMERICAN NEWS.

Preparing for the Great Sullivan-Kilrain Fight.

Immense Brewery in Milwaukee Totally Destroyed by Fire.

Independence Day Celebrated with a Grand Regatta in Boston—The Eight-Hour Movement in the States.

The Sullivan-Kilrain Mill.

NEW ORLEANS, July 4. — Renand, Stevenson and Duffy, who left town last night to look up an available site for the fight in the event of Governor Lowrey fulfilling his threat to camp the state militia on the state line, returned this morning. They are uncommunicative, but admit they have in view half-a-dozen places easy of access by roads previously agreed on. There will be a conference on the subject when Johnson and Wakely arrive, and the question will be definitely decided. The managers admit that some unforseen obstruction may prevent the fight taking place on Monday, but say the men are bound to come together during the week, even if they fight in a private room. Sullivan and his party arrived shortly before noon. Just before the Mississippi line was reached his special car was attached to an engine in waiting and rushed across the border to prevent the anticipated interference of the authorities. To avoid a demonstration here, Burritt persuaded Sullivan to leave the train at a point on the Gentilly road, four miles from the city, whence he was driven into town, and to the rooms of the Louisiana Athletic Club. A large crowd assembled at the depot, and cheered when the procession of sports filed from the train and Sullivan was not among them. The occupants of the train took carriages to the St. Charles Hotel, followed by a big crowd shouting for Sullivan and demanding to see him. He went to the Spanish Fort this afternoon, where three rooms were reserved. He stood the journey well, and was perfectly fresh.

The Fourth at Boston.

BOSTON, July 4.—The programme of the city government for the celebration of the Fourth was practically the same as in former years. The principal event of the day was the rowing regatta on Charles River. The professional single scull race of three miles was rowed by Teemer, Plaisted, Kennedy, McKay, Ten Eyck and P. H. Conley. Teemer had the inside position, and led from start to finish. The contest for second place was between McKay, Conley and Ten Eyck, the latter finally getting the place, with McKay third and Conley fourth. Teemer's time was 21 min. 5 sec. The second race, for professional local scullers, three miles, between W. F. Conley, J. J. Casey, Samuel J. Murphy and J. M. Casey, was won by J. J. Casey; Conley second. In the third race, for four-oared working boats, three miles, for amateurs, the Bradford crew finished first in 21 min. 2 sec., the West Ends second and the Everetts third. The amateur junior sculling, three miles, was won by M. J. Coleman in 25 min. 12 sec., W. A. Paulson second. The Bradfords won the eight-oar shell race for amateurs, one and one-half miles, in 8 min.; the Shawmuts second and the Crescents third. The last race, for four-oared working boats, three miles, was won by the West End crew, composed of Hosmer, Turner, McKay and Breen, in 22 min. 4 sec.; the Shawmuts, composed of J. J. Casey, J. M. Casey, Patrick and William Conley, were second.

Immense Brewery Plant Burned.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 4.—Yalk Jung & Rorchert's brewery plant, located on South Pierce street, between Twenty-Fourth and Twenty-Fifth avenues, was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon, not a building of the great plant being spared. The fire originated in the malt house and spread rapidly, destroying the malt house, brew house offices, bottling department and finally spreading to the beer cellars, which are at this hour (9 p. m.) still burning. The total loss is estimated at from seven to eight hundred thousand dollars. The insurance reaches only half of this sum. The beer cellars contained 52,000 barrels of beer and the bottling department was stocked with six thousand more barrels ready for shipment to the south. As the brewery is located at the city limits it was very difficult for the fire department to do effective work, and two hours after the fire had started the great plant was a mass of ruins. The cause of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to have been by the overheating of the malt house. The capacity of the brewery was six hundred thousand barrels of beer per year, and 400 men were employed.

Murdered By a Drunken Brute.

DECATUR, Ia., July 4.—Martin McKinley, aged 23, son of Frank McKinley, was foully murdered last night about 9 o'clock by a drunken man who had insulted two women in an unfrequented part of the city. They called to McKinley to protect them. He went across the street and the ruffian shot him.

Independence Day.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Independence Day was celebrated in the usual manner throughout the United States to-day, a feature of the day in many cities being the demonstration in favor of eight hours as a day's work. President Harrison and several members of his Cabinet took part in the celebration at Woodstock, Conn.

TOWNSEND WINS.

The Kamloops Nine Defeated on a 3 to 2 Score.

The baseball match between the Kamloops nine and the Townsends was the great attraction to Victoria visitors at Port Townsend yesterday. Port Townsend played the same team that was defeated in Victoria on May 24th, while Kamloops put on the diamond the winners in the Kamloops-Amities match played at Vancouver on Dominion Day. The result of yesterday's game was a surprise to almost everyone who had seen the men from the mainland win their last match. In the first innings the Townsends piled up three runs—their total score. The Kamloops recorded two runs; in the last innings, Victorians who had witnessed the match say that very poor play only prevented Kamloops from scoring, thus making a tie of the game. It was a battery game from the second innings; Marsh, the Kamloops pitcher, striking out his men in regulation order. The Townsend's battery also worked well, and the match was a fine exhibition of ball playing.

The Kamloops team play a second game with Port Townsend to-day, and will play a return match with the Amities on Saturday (to-morrow) afternoon, on the enclosed grounds of the Caledonian Society.

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A STARTLING DOCTRINE.

The Toronto Empire very properly directs attention to the new constitutional doctrine which is being evolved out of the discussion of the Jesuits' Estates Act. It is this, "that the Dominion Government is not only responsible for its own legislation, but it is also to be held responsible for and taken as endorsing every act of each of the provinces which it does not interfere to disallow." Our contemporary may well call this doctrine "startling," for if it is sound it takes from the provinces all exclusive jurisdiction, and throws upon the Dominion Government the responsibility of every law passed by the local legislatures. Some of the anti-Jesuit agitators contend that if the Dominion Government fails to disallow any act passed by a provincial legislature they must be considered as "endorsing" it, as in fact making that act their own. According to this view of the prerogative of disallowance the Dominion Government must not permit the local legislatures to take any responsibility upon themselves. They cannot say with respect to any provincial law sent to Ottawa:

"This law is within the provincial jurisdiction. The provincial legislature was perfectly competent to enact it. It does not clash with any federal law. It was passed after due deliberation by those who must be presumed to know most about the needs and the circumstances of the province. We do not think it a wise law. We believe that it will not work well. But as you had a right to make it, as you will suffer the bad consequences of its operation if it does not work well, and as you have power to repeal it if it does not suit you, we will not interfere. Self-government within certain limits is extended to you by the constitution, and it is not our place to deprive you of your constitutional power and privileges."

It seems to us that it would be both wiser and more constitutional in the Dominion Government to take this ground than to act as if the power of disallowance threw the whole responsibility of provincial legislation on their shoulders. It would be unreasonable to expect the Ministry to go over all the legislation of all the provinces—to examine every act clause by clause, and to enquire into its applicability to the circumstances of the particular province for which it was intended—in a word, to re-enact all the provincial laws. The constitution, we are satisfied, never contemplated placing such a burden on the shoulders of the Dominion Government. The attempt to exercise such power would create discontent in every province of the Dominion. They would be certain to resent the interference of the Dominion Government in local affairs, and they would claim the right of exercising the "exclusive" jurisdiction extended to them by the British North America Act. The disagreements between the provinces and the general government would be continual and they would be very bitter.

The Dominion Government has exercised its power of disallowance in a very moderate way, and yet, seldom as it has been exercised, it has created bad feeling and discontent in the provinces that felt themselves aggrieved. By far the greater part of the legislation of the provinces is allowed as a matter of course. The members of the different provincial legislatures know that if they do not exert themselves to defeat what they regard as a bad measure in its passage through the legislature, they need not depend upon the general government to disallow it when it goes to Ottawa. Has not this feeling of responsibility a good effect on the members of the local legislatures and upon those legislatures as a whole?

The Dominion Government, in our opinion, does right in leaving the whole responsibility of local legislation on the provincial legislatures. They pursue the wise and constitutional course when they take for granted that the men whom the provinces elect to represent them in the local legislatures are competent to do their work and when they allow the acts which they pass, provided they are fully within the competence of those legislatures, and are not prejudicial to the interests of the Dominion as a whole, no matter what opinion they may have of their wisdom or unwisdom as local statutes. It is only by acting in this way that provincial rights can be preserved and harmony between the local and the provincial governments maintained. We believe that those who hold that the Dominion Government, in merely allowing an act of the provincial legislature, pass any opinion on its merits or its demerits as a local statute, take a mistaken view of its functions. The whole of the responsibility of a provincial law should rest, and, we believe, does constitutionally rest, upon the provincial legislature.

ELECTRIC RAILWAYS.

The subject of electric railways is engaging the attention of people in all parts of Canada and the United States. People have become tired of horse cars. They are slow, irregular and expensive, and they are the cause of much cruelty to the poor animals who are compelled to draw them in all kinds of weather and at all hours. Cable roads were regarded as a great improvement but they have their drawbacks. They are costly, and accidents of one kind or another are too frequent. The electric railway appears to meet the requirements of the time better than any other. Wherever they have been established they give almost unmixed satisfaction. The storage battery car is regarded with great favor by many, but it is expensive. It is admitted that the overhead system has the fewest drawbacks. The great and indeed the only objection to it is that it makes the erection of posts a necessity. While this may be a serious objection in large cities where there are too many posts already, in towns where the streets are broad and there is plenty of room for all the traffic, the posts are really no appreciable inconvenience, and they can be so made as not to be at all unsightly. Overhead lines are being constructed in several cities of the States. The success of those already in operation is so great that cities are, in all parts of the continent, substituting electricity for horses as a motive power for street cars. In Cleveland the change is being made; in Akron, Ohio, an overhead line has just been completed, and in St. Paul a similar line of some five miles long to one of the suburbs is in process of construction. The citizens of Victoria may therefore consider themselves fortunate that their street railway is to be of the kind most favored by those who have made street railways a study. We believe that when the cars are once running they will be found to be so pleasant and convenient that people will wonder how they ever got along without them.

HEALTH PRESERVATION.

The efficacy of sanitary regulations has been very conspicuous in the army. Discipline there prevails. Orders must be obeyed and regulations carried out. An experiment has in the army a fair trial and results can be compared. Nothing depends upon the caprice of ignorant and prejudiced persons. All must submit to authority. Formerly the health of large bodies of soldiers, wherever they happened to be quartered was bad, and the death rate was high. In some stations it was appalling. All that is changed now and the change is to be attributed to the attention paid to the laws of health by the military authorities. Soldiers quarters are now under strict sanitary regulations rigidly carried out. In India, thirty years ago, the death rate of British soldiers was eighty in the thousand. Sanitary reforms were effected both in the premises occupied by the men and in their treatment, and in 1887 the death rate had declined to 14.20; that is to say, nearly six times as many soldiers died in a given number in India in 1857 and previous to that, then do now. The climate has not changed in the interval, neither has the death rate diminished among the natives who have not conformed to the laws of health.

Some time ago cholera committed great ravages among the white troops in India. Owing to the precautions taken the dread disease is no longer feared by British soldiers in India, or anywhere else. But while that plague has almost entirely disappeared in the barracks and contonments, it is still the scourge of the native population. Last year nearly half a million of native Indians died of cholera. The same results are visible in jails and prisons. The general health of prisoners in those places of punishment is better far than it used to be, and the death-rate much lower. The reason of this is that the authorities take measures to have the laws of health observed. They know now what is necessary to preserve the health of the inmates of these institutions, and, having the power, they enforce prompt obedience to health regulations.

These are instances of the efficacy of sanitary precautions which cannot be gainsaid. The condition of the soldiers and prisoners before sanitary reforms were instituted was known. The regulations prescribed were honestly carried out by the officials, and the beneficial consequences were too conspicuous to be doubted. The inhabitants of cities seeing the good results that unquestionably follow enlightened sanitation in these cases should not only be willing but eager to adopt similar means to preserve their health and save their lives. If sanitarians can save the lives of soldiers and prisoners they can also save the lives of honest citizens and cause them to enjoy far better health than they do at present. The facts that we have adduced cannot be denied, nor can the improvement be attributed to any other cause than the adoption and enforcement of good sanitary regulations.

PERSONAL FREEDOM.

The ideas that people of continental Europe have of personal freedom are very different from those entertained by the inhabitants of this free country. This is seen by a complaint made by a German newspaper that Switzerland "promotes the dissemination of social-democratic ideas among the young men of the country," because anarchists are allowed to remain in the country without being required to show their credentials and getting identified. In this country men of all opinions may come and go, and as long as they commit no offense against the laws the government takes no cognizance of them whatever. Just imagine what a nuisance it would be if every stranger who enters the province should be obliged to report himself at the police office to explain to the chief who he is and to produce credentials showing that he does not hold opinions dangerous to society. This is apparently what the Germans want the Swiss authorities to do. Freeborn Canadians would not brook such an interference with their personal freedom. A Canadian may live until he is greyheaded and not come in contact with a police officer officially, or with any officer of the government for that matter, except the tax gatherer. As to giving an account to any one of the opinions he holds on political or social subjects such a thing never enters his mind. He would as soon expect to be asked to stand on his head as to be required to tell an official of the Government what his views are on any subject whatever. But matters are very different in nearly all the countries of continental Europe. In most of them the police have their eye on every stranger from the day that he arrives in the country until the day he leaves it. It was because the Swiss authorities were considered to be remiss in keeping a watchful eye on those who visited their country that the German Government lately took them to task and gave them what would here be regarded as an insolent lecture. The North German Gazette, echoing the accusations of the Government, charges Switzerland with promoting the dissemination of social-democratic ideas among the young men of the country. It says that anarchists without credentials are allowed to remain in Switzerland without any effort on the part of the authorities to identify them. It also declares that "the reply of the Swiss foreign minister to the recent interpellation of the Nationalrath, in which he declared that under no circumstances would Switzerland share with any power the right to police her own territory, was inadequate and unsatisfactory." When all that this interference with personal and national freedom implies is considered, Canadians should feel thankful that they live in a country where opinion is unfettered and speech is free.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

We are in a position to state that the Hon. A. E. B. Davie, premier, has been offered, and has declined, the judgeship rendered vacant by the lamented death of Mr. Justice Gray. That Mr. Davie did not feel himself in a position to accept the well-deserved promotion, will be matter of universal regret, while his self-denial in declining the offer will not fail to be recognized and appreciated.

Men who leave the ministry of the Gospel to adopt a secular calling should be compelled by public opinion to drop the title of "Rev." It is more than likely that they ceased to be clergymen because they were unfitted morally, as well as intellectually, for the sacred calling. At any rate, it is not fair that the clergy should have to bear the reproach of any crime which the man who has abandoned the profession may commit. We see that Robert T. Burns, the deputy postmaster of Kingston, Ont., who has been convicted of embezzlement, is designated in the telegrams as the Rev. Robert T. Burns. It is not pleasant for either clergymen or Christians to see a man who is accused of robbing the public spoken of as the Rev. So-and-So. We see that in the Maritime Provinces another person who was once a clergyman, but who has been accused of departing from the path of rectitude in more ways than one, is spoken of in the newspapers as if he were still in holy orders. This is not fair to the clergy or to Christianity. It would be better for all concerned if, as soon as a clergyman has left the ministry and become a layman, he were not addressed as Reverend.

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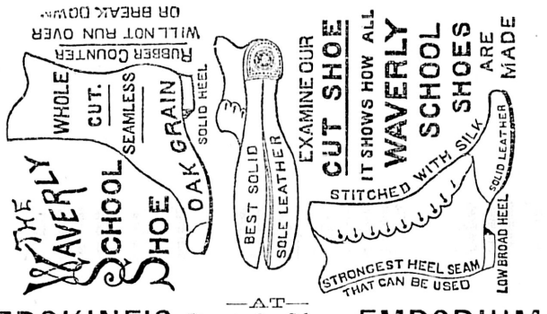

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PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
CAMERON vs. HARPER
Sale of Defendant's Estate.
TENDERS
are invited for the purchase of the whole of the Estate of the Defendant in British Columbia, consisting of about
40,000 Acres
OF FREEHOLD LAND,
with Cattle, Horses, Agricultural Implements, etc., either *en bloc* as a going concern, or in parcels.
Tenders to be delivered (Sealed)
to the undersigned on or before the
1st day of August, 1889,
endorsed "Tenders for the purchase of the Estate of Thaddeus Harper."
For Full Details
of lands, chattels and Terms of Sale, etc.,
SEE CATALOGUES,
with Particulars and Conditions of Sale, which can be obtained from Mr. CHARLES WILSON, solicitor for plaintiff; from Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, solicitors for the defendant; and from the Offices of the "COLONIST," and "Times," Victoria, the "World," Vancouver, the "Inland Sentinel," Kamloops, the "Oregonian," Portland, Oregon, the "Bulletin," San Francisco, California, and the British Columbia Land Investment Agency (limited), 15 Serjeants' Inn, Fleet street, London, E. C., England, and from the undersigned.
H. S. MASON,
J. C. PREVOST,
je4 Receivers.

Alberni Townsite.
SALE OF LOTS
With a view to meet the present requirements of the District of Alberni, a small Townsite has been laid out on the left bank of the River Somas, between Kit-su-sus River and Roger Creek.
Plans and particulars can be obtained at Alberni, at the stores of either Messrs. W. P. Sayward or H. Saunders; or at Victoria from Matthew T. Johnston, Esq., the attorney for the proprietors.
11th June, 1889. je12-1m

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NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Re ELWYN, Deceased.
PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Renfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.
Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.
ap6-3m-dw JAMES C. PREVOST, Registrar.

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company (Limited) have filed with me, under the provisions of the Mineral Acts, an application for a Crown grant of the "Lanark" mineral claim in the Illecillewaet camp in West Kootenay District. Adverse claimants, if any, are required to send in their objections within sixty days from the date hereof.
G. M. SPROAT,
Farwell, 7th May, 1889. G. C., &c.
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In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability,
AND
In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an order to wind up the business of the said Company was, on the 8th day of May instant, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, and Mr. John Herbert Turner has been appointed provisional liquidator of the estate and effects of the Company.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability,
AND
In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors, contributories, shareholders or members of the said Company, that an application will be made to a Judge of the Supreme Court at the Supreme Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of Mr. John Herbert Turner as the sole liquidator of the estate and effects of the said Company.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.
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H. W. TERNAN & CO.
Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.
PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 44 Victoria, chapter 12, entitled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees," and the Statute 50 Victoria, chapter 2, entitled "An Act respecting Executors, Trustees and Assignees, for the benefit of Creditors."
Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demands upon or against the estate of James Byron Silverthorn and Henry Whitfield Ternan, trading as Ternan and Company, general merchants, at Chilliwhack, New Westminster District, B. C., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1889, after which day the Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1889.
EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees,
A. B. GRAY and ROBERT ERSKINE, both of Victoria, B. C.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated at Kit-Kahta Bay near Wright Sound, Coast District, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake marked A, on the left bank of a small river and running east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence along the shore line and following the bank of the river back to point of commencement.
May 30, 1889. WILLIAM OLLIVER.
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In the Matter of the Foster Gold Mining & Milling Co., Limited, and the Winding Up Act.
TAKE NOTICE THAT BY ORDER OF the Supreme Court I shall offer the following described property for sale by tender:—
Three Mineral Grants, being Lots 101, 102 and 103, Lillooet District, containing the Foster Mine and the mill and mining materials, tools and implements now on the ground or in store, consisting of a ten stamp mill; four Duncan concentrators. A large amount of valuable work has been performed on the mine. The mine is on Kelly's Creek, 18 miles from Clinton. A wagon road has been opened to the property. There is a boarding house at the mine and every facility for continuing the works.
Tenders to be sent to me or Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, Victoria, on or before the 12th July next, where a list of the articles, plan of the mine and assays of the ore can be seen.
J. A. TURNER, Liquidator.
je22-3w Wharf street, Victoria.

NOTICE.
IN LIQUIDATION.
The People's Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.
THE undersigned having been duly appointed Liquidator of the above named Company, all persons are notified to pay the amounts in which they are indebted to the Company to him only.
JAMES C. PREVOST.
6th June, 1889. je7

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the firm of WILLIAMS & SMITH, Architects, of the City of Portland, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, A. L. Smith retiring therefrom.
All work will be finished and the business continued at the old office by D. L. Williams and F. Williams, under the firm name of WILLIAMS & WILLIAMS, and they will collect all accounts and pay all liabilities of the old firm.
D. L. WILLIAMS.
F. WILLIAMS.
A. L. SMITH.
Portland, June 25th, 1889. je30

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TENDERS.

NAVAL CONTRACTS
Fresh Beef, Mutton and Vegetables, Salt Beef and Suet, Soft Bread, Rice, Lumber, Firewood, Lime, Coffins and Graves.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Thursday, 1st August next, for supplying such quantities of the above named articles as may be required for Navy purposes, for one year certain from the 1st October next.
Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.
Forms of Tender may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.
J. H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 1st July, 1889. jy3

To Contractors.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 10th July next, from persons experienced in well drilling who may be desirous of undertaking contracts from the Government for sinking one or more experimental Artesian Wells in Yale District, B. C., with a view to determining their value for purposes of irrigation.
Proposals must state clearly all conditions and terms, state the kind of apparatus proposed to be used, and give the names of two responsible residents of the Province who are willing to enter into a bond to secure the faithful carrying out of any contract which may be entered into.
Such information as may be in possession of the Lands and Works Department will be furnished on application to parties proposing to contract.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th June, 1889. je14

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 10th July, for additions and alterations to the Provincial Insane Asylum, at New Westminster.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of Geo. W. Grant, Esq., Architect, New Westminster, or at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 19th June, 1889.
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MUNICIPAL.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to section 5 of chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over Navigable Waters," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works of Canada, a plan and a description of a wharf or dock, to be used for sanitary purposes, situate at Ross Bay, at the said city, in the said province, and a duplicate of each, with the registrar of deeds for the said city of Victoria.
AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made, after the first day of August, 1889, to the Governor-in-Council for approval of said plan and work.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of June, 1889. je20

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.
All consumers of water of Victoria City Water Works are requested to take notice that water for irrigating purposes shall be used during the irrigating season in the different wards of the city between the hours of 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. only on the respective days mentioned, namely: In Johnson Street Ward on Mondays and Thursdays; in Yates Street Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays; in James Bay Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Any infractions of the above regulations will involve an immediate increase of the water rates of the parties concerned.
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
June 11th, 1889. je12

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.
Removal of Thistles !
Owners, or their Agents, of property within the City Limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots; in default of so doing the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER
C. M. C.
City Hall, June 6th, 1889. je7

MUNICIPAL.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons (excepting those who pay annually or semi-annually) who are three months in arrears for water on the 30th June proximo, will have their water supply turned off
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
May 30th, 1889. my31

BLACKSTONE JUNIOR.

How Rising Young Lawyers Overwork Their Gigantic Brains.

Nobody can possibly have any idea how young lawyers, particularly young lawyers in the city courts, overwork their brains, unless he goes to the cross-examination of a witness by a young member of the bar. It is worth paying admission to hear.

The witness, says the Detroit Commercial Advertiser, has given in his testimony, and is turned over like a lamb to the slaughter, or a rabbit to the tender mercies of an anaconda. There is hushed stillness as the anaconda prepares to throw its voluminous folds around the trembling victim, crush its bones, and then swallow the shapeless mass. It is perfectly awful. The brow becomes corrugated with deep thought; the glittering eye is bent on the guilty wretch of a witness who seems conscious of his approaching doom. Slowly and solemnly, like the supreme head of the church promulgating officially some entirely new dogma, the words reverberating like minute guns at sea, the coming Blackstone says:

"Did—you—not—swear—on—your—direct examination — that — your — name — was—Pete Snooks?"

The witness said he did.

Then the lawyer buries his massive brow in his hands and thinks, and thinks. Suddenly running his fingers through his hair, he fixes his glittering orbs as if they could see the buckle on the back of the witness's vest, and asks:

"Now, sir, I will ask you on your oath to tell this court and jury, without any hemming or hawing, giving a categorical answer to a categorical question—I ask you now whether your name is not Peter Snooks instead of Pete Snooks, as you swore it was a moment ago?"

Witness—"My name—"

"Halt! May it please your honor, the witness is trifling with this court and jury. He is evidently trying to lug in hearsay evidence. According to second Greenleaf, page 286—"

"The witness will proceed," said the court, yawning.

"Your honor, during the whole course of my long and extensive practice—"

"The witness will proceed."

"Your honor will please note my exception. I intend that the Supreme Court shall pass on this case."

Witness—"Yes."

"Are you a resident of this city?"

Witness—"Yes."

"The city of Detroit?"

Witness—"Yes."

Then Blackstone, Jr., walks backward and forward, his brow as hunky with thought as an old washboard. The anaconda is about to spring again.

"County of Wayne?"

"Yes."

"State of Michigan?"

"Yes."

"We rest the case, may it please your honor."

And the planets keep right on around the sun as if nothing had happened.

FUGACIOUS SCISSORS.

An Instrument Which Disappears in the Most Mysterious Manner.

The apparently fugacious habits of scissors have been noticed since the earliest historic period, according to a writer in Collier's Once a Week. They disappear with a celerity and secrecy wholly without a parallel in the history of lost objects. A woman is sewing and has a pair of scissors in her lap. She uses them, say twice, and each time drops them again in her lap. The third time she wishes to use them she can not find them. Though she searches her lap, her dress, her chair and the floor thoroughly she can not find the slightest trace of the missing scissors, and thereafter they are never again seen by mortal eyes. Or let us say that a woman, in the very act of using a pair of scissors, is called from her work. She places the scissors carefully in her work-basket, goes out, locking the door of the room after her, and returns in ten or fifteen minutes to find her scissors gone.

What is more remarkable about the disappearance of scissors is that once having disappeared they are never again found. You may lose a tack-hammer or a comb, but sooner or later you will find the missing article behind some piece of furniture, but a pair of scissors once lost are lost forever.

That there is something peculiar in the disappearance of scissors is virtually admitted by women when they seek to prevent the loss of scissors by means of charms. For a piece of ribbon, which many women attach to the handle of their scissors "to prevent them from being lost," must act as a charm, or elsewise it would be valueless. How, in the name of science and common sense, can the mere fact that four inches of blue ribbon are tied to the handle of a pair of scissors keep them from being mislaid? In point of fact it does nothing of the kind, and in spite of the woman's faith in the blue ribbon charm it is absolutely useless. If, however, we assume that the origin of this custom was the attaching of a bit of witch-hazel to the handle of a pair of scissors, we can understand it. The woman of the middle ages had a vague belief that the disappearance of scissors was due to the witches, and therefore called in the aid of witch-hazel. The modern woman, ignorant of the peculiar efficacy of witch-hazel, fancies that any thing tied to a pair of scissors will keep them from being lost, and she prefers ribbon to witch-hazel because it is prettier and more convenient.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

—Michigan University pays $148,000 yearly to its professors and employes.

—The Soudan has been almost totally neglected by Protestants as a field for missionary effort. It has a population of about 60,000,000 people.

—Less than five and a half years ago the Nebraska Lutheran Synod had not a Scandinavian church. Since this synod has erected twelve neat churches, whose value is estimated at $38,000.

—The reports presented at the recent annual meeting of Mr. Spurgeon's church showed a total membership of 5,275. The additions for the year were 307, and loss 341, making a net loss of thirty-four.

—There is a church in Jersey City which bears the multitudinous title of "The Tabernacle of the Testament of the Church of the First Born." Under this far stretching and redundant name a Faith Cure congregation worships.

—Mrs. Mary E. Richmond has presented to Union Free School District No. 2, of Batavia, N. Y., a handsome public library building, to be called the Richmond Memorial Library, in memory of her son, Dean Richmond, Jr.

—Among the foreign countries which have sent students to the Harvard law school are: Japan, 7; Hawaiian Islands, 3; England, 2; France, 2; Prussia, 1; New Brunswick, 44; Nova Scotia, 24; Cape Breton Islands, 6, and Prince Edward Island, 3.

—The Catholic Review estimates that the actual Roman Catholic population of this country is over 10,000,000, although official statistics just published make it to be only 8,157,676. The total number of parochial schools is 3,070, and the attendance 585,965.

—Dr. Denman W. Ross, of Cambridge, has very recently presented the Harvard library with an exceedingly valuable collection of works on the early history of institutions. The gift consists of over three hundred volumes, and is supplemental to a much larger collection on the same subject presented by Dr. Ross a year ago. The entire collection will undoubtedly prove a great aid to students of history, political economy and kindred sciences.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

THE SCHOOLS.

Midsummer Examinations at Burgoyne Bay, West Saanich, Maple Ridge and Cache Creek.

BURGOYNE BAY SCHOOL.

JAS. DOUGAN, TEACHER.

The examination of the above school was held on Friday afternoon and was conducted by Mr. Wilson, secretary-treasurer, and the teacher. Equally as noticeable as the ready and intelligent class answers was the very close and intelligent interest manifested by the large number of ladies and gentlemen present. At the close able remarks were made by Mr. Wilson, who prefaced the same by congratulating the school on the high average daily attendance for the year. Trustee Horel humorously compared education twenty-five years ago with the present standard. Mr. Furness was much pleased with the progress made in all classes. Trustee Maxwell made a few remarks, as did three or four others, of a most interesting nature. The teacher in awarding the "rolls of honor" remarked the competion was the closest known in the school, and therefore the greater honor to the winners and also the school. Nellie Wilson, proficiency; Katie Furness, deportment (not having lost one mark in deportment during the year); Eliza Maxwell, regularity and punctuality (attendance, 214 days. Well wishes for children and parents and all retire. It may be noted school has been in session for the full number of days, 221.

WEST SAANICH SCHOOL.

G. H. SLUGGETT, TEACHER.

The midsummer examination of this school took place on Friday last, in the presence of the trustees and a number of other visitors.

After a brief examination of the scholars, the following roll of honor was presented :—

Proficiency, Rosa Sluggett; deportment, M. Gertrude Thomson; regularity and punctuality, Mabel Thomson.

The special prizes yearly presented by Mr. H. D. Helmcken were awarded to Susan M. Hagan for arithmetic, and Mary Graham for spelling.

The Rev. W. H. Gregory then gave a short address, in which he alluded feelingly to this as being in all probability the last examination he and his son would have the pleasure of attending. He closed by giving some excellent advice to the children. Mr. J. Sluggett made a few remarks, and the scholars were then dismissed for the holidays.

MAPLE RIDGE SCHOOL.

MR. PAUL MURRAY, TEACHER.

The semi-annual examination of this school took place in the presence of a large number of visitors on the 28th ult. The usual number of pupils presented themselves for examination, and their quick and intelligent answers in the different subjects of the school curriculum indicated that the term now closing was well spent by teacher and pupils. The teacher was ably assisted by Mr. H. McKay, teacher of the Haney school, and by Mr. J. W. Sinclair, of Port Hammond. The exercises were interspersed with recitations and musical selections by the pupils. At the close of the examination the usual eulogistic speeches were made by several of the visitors, and an address together with a valuable pair of opera glasses was presented to the teacher by the secretary of the trustee board amidst great enthusiasm by the visitors and pupils.

CACHE CREEK SCHOOL.

MR. J. IRWIN, TEACHER.

On Friday, the 28th ult., the annual midsummer examination of the Cache Creek school took place. There was a much larger attendance of visitors than on any previous occasion. The school room was prettily decorated with evergreens, flowers, and suitable mottoes.

A very lengthy programme was gone through, the pupils' answering being very commendable indeed, and reflects great credit on their teacher, Mr. J. Irwin.

In the 4th class, Lizzie Morgan took 1st prize, D. A. McDonald 2nd, Alice Greaves 3rd.

Third class—1st prize, James Veasy; 2nd, Annie Wilson; 3rd, Jenny Morgan.

Second class—1st prize, A. E. Lehman; 2nd, Joe Connor; 3rd, Maud Campbell.

The rolls of honor were awarded as follows: Deportment, Annie Wilson; punctuality and regularity, Mary Greaves; proficiency, Lizzie Morgan.

There were some extra prizes given, which were carried off respectively by Alice Greaves, James Veasy and Arthur Haddock. About 1 o'clock a pleasant break was made in the programme, when all the visitors adjourned to the dining room, where a splendid luncheon was served. The presiding genius in that department was Mrs. Irwin, who ministered to the wants of her visitors with her usual kindness and hospitality.

VESUVIUS BAY SCHOOL.

TEACHER, R. A. R. PURDY.

The midsummer examination of this school took place on the 28th ult. at the schoolhouse, conducted by the school-teacher, R. A. R. Purdy. The parents and friends of the children assembled about 10 o'clock. Speeches were made by trustees Norton and Mansell, complimenting the teacher during the year. The result of the examination reflected great credit on both teacher and scholars. After the examination and distribution of prizes, a sumptuous collation was partaken of, which was heartily enjoyed by all present. The good things were provided by the parents and friends of the scholars. The proceedings were then brought to a close. Subjoined is the list of prizes :

PRIZES.

Thomas Mouat, head of class V; Joel Broadwell, do. class IV; George Bitancourt, do. class III; Walter Norton, do. class II; Melissia Bitancourt, do. class I. Francis Bitancourt excelled in spelling, Alexander Silversen in writing and Chas. Bitancourt, Dorothy Norton, Mary Bitancourt, George Anderson and Madeline Silversen, in general improvement.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Deportment, Francis Bitancourt; regularity, Walter Norton; proficiency, Joel Broadwell.

A Close Call.

AFTER suffering for three weeks from Cholera Infantum so that I was not expected to live, and, at the time, would even have been glad had death called me, so great was my suffering, a friend recommended Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which acted like magic on my system. But for this medicine I would not be alive now. JOHN W. BRADSHAW, swf 393 St. Paul st., Montreal, P.Q.

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KIDNEY complaint and bad stomach troubled me for years, but I was cured by taking less than one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters. For my present good health I owe my thanks to B. B. B., writes JAMES GORMAN, Sen. swf

The Fatal Railway Crossing.

ALTONA, Pa., July 3.—Howard Nicholson, aged 16, son of H. L. Nicholson, ticket agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad here, was instantly killed by a train at a crossing about 6 this evening. He was driving with his younger brother, Harold, and a boy named Grier, when the horse became frightened and ran in front of the train. Harold was slightly hurt, but Grier escaped.

Two Ruffians Captured.

WOODLAND, Cal., July 3.—Joseph Kline and Frank Horne, for whose capture a reward of $2,000 had been offered for assaulting Lizzie Waughtel, a well known young lady of Winters, on June 4th of last year, were arrested here today. They both deny their guilt.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned as Manufacturers and Commission Agents, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by Thomas Bulman Pearson, under the name of T. B. Pearson & Co., who will be responsible for the debts of the late partnership and to whom all moneys due to the said late partnership must be paid.

Victoria, 14th June, 1889.

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NOTICES.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria............Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo...........Tuesday ....4th June.

[On Mainland.]

New Westminster..Wednesday.1st May.
Kamloops..........Monday... 3rd June.
Clinton.............Monday....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield ....Monday ....9th Sept.
Clinton ....Wednesday.25th Sept.
Kamloops...........Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton ....Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday.13th Nov.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria............Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo...........Tuesday ....3rd Dec.
ap12-1mo

EDUCATION BRANCH
OF THE PROV'L SECRETARY'S DEP'T,
Victoria, May 7th, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 8th, at 10 a. m.:—

In Victoria...........Legislative Hall.
In Kamloops...Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, and the place at which he will attend.

S. D. POPE,
my10-1m Supt. of Education.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at—

Lillooet.... ......Thursday, 23rd May. 1889
Clinton ....Saturday, 8th June, "
150-Mile House...Thursday, 27th June, "
Soda Creek.......Saturday, 29th June, "
Quesnellemouth..Tuesday.. 2nd July, "
Richfield..........Friday... 5th July, "

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
24th April, 1889. ap26-2m

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REGISTERED THE 13TH DAY OF March, 1889. Certificate of Registration—This is to certify that I have this day registered "The Pacific Bullion Mining Company," foreign, under the "Companies Act."

The object for which the said Company is formed is for the purpose of mining, milling, smelting and working ores and minerals contained in the mines known as the Spokane and Trinket, situated in the West Kootenai Mining District, formerly known as the Warm Spring Mining District near Kootenai Lake, British Columbia, and such other mines as the Company may hereafter acquire.

The amount of capital stock of the said Company is one million dollars, divided into one million shares of the par value of one dollar each, and said stock to be unassessable.

The time of the existence of the said Company is fifty years.

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson Warm Springs, Lower Kootenai Mining District, British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand, and affixed my seal of office, this 13th day of March, 1889, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies,
je5-1m

Estate of HARRIETT MORTON
IN LIQUIDATION.

Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

To the Creditors of Harriett Morton, formerly carrying on business at Kamloops.

The trustee of the estate of the said Harriett Morton hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against her, that they are required to send full particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the first day of August, 1889, after which day the trustee will proceed to pay these claims of which he then has notice, ratably, or in full if the assets shall thereto extend; and he further gives notice that he will not be liable for the proceeds of the estate or any part thereof to any creditor of whose claim he had no notice on the said first day of August, 1889.

Dated at Victoria, the 17th day of June, 1889.

CHARLES WILSON,
je18-6w Solicitor for the Trustee.

NOTICE.

BETWEEN
DENNIS MURPHY, Plaintiff.
AND
BENJAMIN VAN VOLKENBURGH and Isaac Von Volkenburgh, trading under the firm name of Von Volkenburgh Bros. Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the order of Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, dated the 15th June instant, appointing James Charles Prevost, Receiver of the Estate of the said defendants, was this day discharged by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease.

Dated, Victoria, 17th June, 1889.

je18 VAN VOLKENBURGH BROS.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS valuable Stock and Dairy Farm, 228 acres.

JAMES HABART.
Chemainus,
May 12th, 1889. my12-3m

NOTICE.

I GIVE NOTICE that I have admitted Mr. Ernest V. Bodwell as a partner in my practice of a barrister and solicitor, which in future will be carried on under the firm name of "Davie & Bodwell."

Victoria, 14th June, 1889.

je 16 THEODORE DAVIE.

TRANSLATIONS.

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TIME TABLE No. 10,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 1889. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
VICTORIA	De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M		Ar 1.01 P.M	Ar 7.00	
RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	8.24	3.36		1.00	6.56	
ESQUIMALT	8.34	3.46		12.50	6.46	
GOLDSTREAM	9.01	4.11		12.23 P.M	6.21	
SHAWNIGAN L'E	9.56	5.06		11.28	5.26	
COBBLE HILL	10.03	5.16		11.16	5.16	
McPHERSON'S	10.25	5.31		10.59	5.01	
KOKSILAH	10.37	5.41		10.47	4.51	
DUNCAN'S	10.42	5.46		10.42	4.46	
SOMENOS	10.52	5.56		10.32	4.36	
CHEMAINUS	11.18			10.06	4.14	
NANAIMO	Ar 12.20 P.M	6.18	P. M.	De 9.04		
NANAIMO	De 12.29	7.16	De 10.30	Ar 8.55	3.16	P. M. Ar 8.00
WELLINGTON	Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31	Ar. 10.45	De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01 P.M	De 7.45

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Ar Seattle - 9:15 a.m	Ar Pt. Town'd 9:15 a.m
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Ar Pt. Town'd 1:15 p.m	Ar Seattle - 1:30 p.m
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CAPT. NEILSEN,
From Liverpool.

NEITHER Capt. Neilsen nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees.
Victoria, 2nd July, 1889. jy3

Consignees' Notice!

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CAPT. NEILSEN,
From LIVERPOOL.

THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf on Wednesday, 3rd July and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m. each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

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Victoria, 2nd July, 1889. jy3

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" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturday, 7.00 "

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Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.
For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.
For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:
Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave by standard time.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,
March 21st jy25

The Colonist.

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. R P RITHET, from Westminster: Mrs Thos L Briggs, Miss Briggs, Mrs Johns and two children, Mrs Bennett, Miss K Murphy, Miss Howard, Capt McAllister, J A Blackie, J Graham, A B Gray, J Truran, J H Straith, J McMartin, T Sherman, J Perkins, S Homans.

Per Str. ISLANDER, from Vancouver:—A McDonald, A Joseph, J Mathews, F Andrews, C Wise, A Pascoe, H Talbert, W Peacock, Mrs McN Jones, Miss Jones, A E Pauline, R Begg, A Smith, J Bird, Capt Palmer, Mr and Mrs Hendrie, Dr McLennan, Mrs McLennan, Mr and Mrs H Archibald, Master Archibald, Capt and Mrs Urquhart, J A Mara, Mrs Millington, Mrs Marshall, J L Laird, E H Drew, A Heathorne, Mr and Mrs Harcell, Annie Maderson, D Leahy, Lem Howson, Mrs Radley, Miss Radley, Master Radley, C Harvey, H F Benson, L Ashburn, H E Croasdaile, L Este, Mr and Mrs J G Pyle, Miss Harris, Mrs D Green, J Walling, G Leiser, R Johnston, J H McLennan, M McGuire, G H Train, W Gill, G Williams, A McD Wilson, Mrs Wilson, W Suther, A Randsure, Mrs S M Ellis, Jno Ellis, M W Ellis, Norah B Craig, A Pascall, Mr and Mrs Evans, Miss Evans.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. R P RITHET, from Westminster: L Goodacre, T G Moody, W McKeon & Son, S Leiser, Boscowitz, T N Hibben & Co, W Dalby, S Gray, Yuen Lung, F Richards, F W Heard, J G Ure, Mrs S Field, D Dickinson, Marvin & Tilton, Hon John Robson, T Shotbolt, C P Navigation Co.

Per Str. ISLANDER, from Vancouver:—J H Todd, R T Williams, Angus & Gordon, C Strouss & Co, C Hayward, C Gowen & Son, J Sehl, J Barnsley, J Weiler, S J Pitts, S Leiser, T B Pearson.

BIRTH.

BLACKWOOD—In this city, on the 3rd inst., the wife of E. E. Blackwood, of a daughter.

DIED.

SILLBA—Ruperto Sillba, aged 60 years, late of Fort Hope, B. C., died at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Saturday), at 8 o'clock, from the Catholic Cathedral, View street.

GREGG—In Seattle, on the 2nd inst., Alice, beloved wife of A. E. Gregg, and second daughter of Richard and Sarah Caselton, of this city.

The funeral will leave the residence of her parents, 189 Chatham street, on Sunday afternoon, leaving the house at 1:30 and the R. E. Church at 2 o'clock.

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MR. WM. MANN, of Ottawa, Ont., writes: I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in my family with the very best results. I recommend it to my friends and think it the best medicine in use for all summer complaints, diarrhœa, dysentery, etc. swf

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THE highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note: Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson.

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A large assortment of the unrivalled Whitney carriages, with and without reversible handles. Prices as low as others of inferior quality.
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Look out for the sale of Lots to-day in the New Town of Seattle, B. C., on the Fraser River, at the Mission Bridge. Prices will be advanced within thirty days BOURCHIER & HIGGINS, Agents.

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The Dust.

Although yesterday was one of the most windy days of the year, and the dust and grit were blown in clouds into every chink and cranny, and into the eyes of pedestrians, the street sprinkler was nowhere to be seen. If the contractor who has undertaken to attend to watering the streets wilfully neglected to perform his duty yesterday his contract should be at once cancelled; and if he took a holiday with the sanction of the Streets Committee, they are deserving of a vote of public censure.

Better Out of The World

Than out of the fashion. Have your visiting cards printed from copper plate at THE COLONIST office.

Dr. Chase's Pile Ointment instantly relieves and permanently cures Piles, Pruritus and all hot and itching sores and eruptions. Price, $1. Of druggists. je13

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their Express and P.O. address. Respectfully, DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 37 Yonge street, Toronto, Ont. sep7-w-1y

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Board of Trade.

The annual general meeting of the board of trade will be held at three o'clock this afternoon. A full attendance of members is requested, as business of a most important nature will be discussed.

Three Months For a Bottle of Beer.

John Nugent was convicted in the Police Court yesterday of attempting to steal a bottle of beer from Carter's brewery, and was sent to jail for three months with hard labor.

Naval.

H.M.S. Champion and the two torpedo boats returned to Esquimalt harbor at 9 o'clock last evening. The flagship, the Amphion and the Icarus left Vancouver yesterday on their northern cruise.

Teachers' Examination at Kamloops.

The teachers' examination at Kamloops will commence on Monday next, simultaneously with the examination in Victoria, and will be conducted by Rev. D. Fraser, M.A., and Mr. D. Wilson, B.A., both of whom left for Kamloops this morning.

The Weekly Colonist.

Issued to-day, contains all the results of the midsummer school examinations, the holiday sports at Vancouver and at Colwood, and many other matters of interest, making it an excellent number to send to friends in the east. Price 10 cents per copy; per annum $2.00. For sale at all the bookstores and at the office of publication.

The Funeral of Mrs. Gregg.

The remains of the late Mrs. A. E. Gregg, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Caselton, of this city, who died in Seattle on Monday last, have been brought to Victoria, the birthplace of the deceased, for burial. The funeral will leave the residence of her parents, 189 Chatham street, at 1.30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, and the R. E. Church half an hour later.

The Sandwich Island Cable.

The C. H. Tupper has taken in the whole of her wire cable at Vancouver, with the exception of a length of about five miles. She will, Captain Kelly says, be ready to sail about Friday next. The entire length of the cable, which was manufactured in New York, and which is destined for the Sandwich Islands, is about thirty-nine knots, or in other words, about 44 statute miles.

A Successful Excursion.

The steamer Islander left at 7:30 yesterday morning for Port Townsend with a large crowd of passengers. A quick passage was had across, the steamer doing the forty miles in two hours and twenty minutes. All report a good time, the chief event of the day being the baseball match between the Kamloops and Port Townsends. Haynes' band accompanied the excursion and discoursed music going and returning.

"Fatherland."

Karl Gardner, the sweet singer, will present for the first time here his new comedy, "Fatherland." The scene of the play is laid in the heart of the Tyrol and the story is told with simple and touching pathos, relieved by bright dialogue and humorous situations. The scenic effects of the play are an important feature, the scenes peculiar to Tyrolean life being new and novel. The star is supported by an excellent company.

A New Steamer.

Among the cargo of the bark Doric Broderson from Liverpool is the steel frame and machinery for a steamer for Ewen & Co. The steamer will be put together at Colvin's shipyard by Gray & Munro, of the Victoria Machinery Depot. The steamer is eighty feet in length. The engines are triple expansion, with steel boilers. It will be completed in the course of two months and will be used in the service of Ewen & Co.'s canneries and in towing. When completed the cost of the steamer will be $25,000.

The Surrey Dyking Scheme.

The surveys are now in progress for what is known as the "Surrey inside dyking scheme," Mr. William Thibadeau, C.E., in charge. He expects to have the surveys, plans, etc., completed in about two weeks. This scheme, which will actually reclaim nearly ten thousand acres of the most valuable land known, and result in considerable improvement to three or four roads in the vicinity, is being undertaken by the Surrey Council, under the provisions of the new Municipalities Act, passed at the last session of the Legislature. The intention is to raise about $10,000 on a twenty years' loan for the prosecution of the work, which it is expected will be completed this fall. These signs of push and enterprise among the rural municipalities of the district are very gratifying.—Columbian.

Delta Dyking and Draining Do.

The above recently organized company, of which Mr. J. O. Colhoun, of Delta, is a prominent member, have registered under the "Company's Act" at Ottawa. Their scheme is to reclaim the whole of the foreshore or tidal flats on Boundary and Mud Bays, from the boundary line at Point Roberts to Backie's Spit, Mud Bay, taking in, approximately, a strip of between seven and eight miles in length, and from one and a half to two miles in width, and comprising between eight and ten thousand acres, to be absolutely recovered from the sea, the land being of the richest. The dyke, or more properly sea wall, will have a width on top of about sixteen feet, being proportionately larger at the base, thus forming a first-class road. All section lines running south from the road going to Ladner's Landing, and intersecting the main dyke, will also be public roads or highways, being produced to the sea wall at the same height and width, and the large parallel ditches on the section lines will serve materially to drain the reclaimed land. The benefits of the scheme do not stop with the lands reclaimed, but the adjacent lands and roads are greatly advantaged thereby, and all that the promoters of the enterprise require as remuneration, from the Dominion government, for the work undertaken, is a grant of the lands to be recovered. The preliminary surveys have already been made by Mr. A. J. Hill, who is the engineer in charge, and the work will be energetically pushed.—Columbian.

JUST IN TIME.

The Blaze at Mr. Jacob Sehl's Residence Quickly Extinguished.

At about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon an alarm of fire was sent in by telephone from the residence of Mr. Jacob Sehl, Laurel Point. The firemen lost no time in responding to the alarm, and upon arriving on the scene found smoke issuing from two places—the garret being on fire directly above the kitchen, and the shingles of one of the gables on the main building also being in a blaze. The family were at lunch when they discovered the house to be on fire, fortunately before the flames had got any headway, as with the strong wind blowing the consequences could not have been other than disastrous had the fire not been extinguished in its incipiency. It is supposed that a defective chimney was the cause of the fire, which was quickly extinguished, the principal damage to the house and contents being done by water. Mr. Sehl estimates the amount of damage at about $300. The house was insured for $6000 in the Phenix, of which company Messrs. Heisterman & Co. are the agents, and for $6,000 in the Liverpool, London & Globe, Hall & Goepel, agents.

THE CALEDONIAN PIC-NIC.

The Twenty-Second Annual Gathering of the St. Andrew's Society.

Yesterday was a gala day with the sons of Auld Scotia. With favorable weather, a good programme of attractions, and just the right men at the head of affairs, the twenty-second annual gathering proved just what it was expected to be—a big success.

Long before two o'clock, when it was expected the games would commence, hundreds of men, women and children, many in the proud costumes of the Highland clans, were to be seen wending their way in the direction of the Caledonian grounds, which by three o'clock held a crowd of upwards of 2,400 people. The wealth, fashion and high social standing of Victoria was well represented; Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson, the provincial cabinet ministers, members of the Dominion and provincial legislative assemblies, and hundreds of prominent merchants and business men, with their families, being entertained at the reception tent during the afternoon. Mayor Grant, resident of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian society, and chairman of the reception committee for the day, did the honors in a right royal manner.

At about 2:30 o'clock, the Queen City Band arrived on the ground, and took a position on the dancing floor, under the spreading trees. A few minutes later, the members of the Sir William Wallace Society to the number of fifty, headed by their piper, Mr. Geddes, marched down from their hall and were received with cheers by their sister society.

Nothing had been left undone by the committee of arrangement. The grounds had been carefully looked after, and every care taken to comfortably accommodate all attending. Seats for four thousand people were scattered about the grounds, while refreshments of any kind were to be had at the many neat little booths erected. No games of chance or fakir's stands were allowed. In the centre of the immense lawn a circular track one-tenth of a mile in length was enclosed in a neat fence, seats being arranged around it for the spectators. Within this enclosure the sports and games for the day took place. At some distance away, under the shade of the trees, was the dancing platform, the floor of which could not have been better prepared for the merry feet which trod it during the evening. Music was provided in abundance, the Queen City band, all the city pipers, and McLennan the great piper of San Francisco being present.

The entire success of the gathering was due to all members of the society, but more particularly to the following members composing the

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

The President—MAYOR GRANT.
Vice-Presidents—Robt. Mitchell and Robt. McIntosh, and
Messrs. Donald McKay, John Robertson, R. P. Rithet, A. Grieve, Geo. Mann, Dr. Renwick, A. Tolmie, George Bishop, Wm. Ward, John Earsman, A. J. Smith, Wm. Lorimer, Capt. Irving, A. McDonald, H. D. Helmcken, P. Æ. Irving, Jas. L. Anderson, Geo. Webb, J. G. Geddes, John Murdoch, Archd. Lees, Peter Steel, J. H. McGregor, A. R. Reid, J. A. Wilson.
Judges—R. J. Russell, John Boyd, A. B. Gray, Capt. Irving, R. E. Jackson, R. P. Rithet, James Burns, Roderick Finlayson.
Reception Committee — Mayor Grant, Robert McIntosh, A. J. Smith, H. D. Helmcken, Robert Mitchell, John Robertson, Wm. Lorimer, P. Æ. Irving.
Starters—Wm. Lorimer, John Robertson.
Floor Managers—A. Lees, J. A. Wilson.
Rangers—James Deans, J. L. Anderson.
Gate Keepers—Hugh McKenzie, John Robertson, J. H. McGregor.

THE PROGRAMME OF GAMES.

There was no hitch in the carrying out of the entire programme of games. Commencing promptly at three o'clock, the various events were contested in quick succession in the order of the programme. No decision of the judges was called into question—it could not be; and the prizes were paid to the winners on the spot.

The first event called, the running high jump, brought out seven competitors—Messrs. Ed. Dunne, D. Mahoney, Angus Bell, Sergt. Brimstone, W. Elliott, J. A. McLean and D. H. Cameron. The contest was a keen one, McLean winning with a jump of 5 ft. 2 in., with Sergt. Brimstone only one inch behind him.

Running long jump—1, H. Fisher, 18 feet 8 inches; 2, Angus Bell; 3, "Tug" Briston.

Running hop, step and jump—1, Angus Bell, 41 feet 3 inches; 2, H. Fisher, 40 feet 9 inches; 3, Jos. Stewart.

Foot race (handicap), three miles—1, Jos. Stewart; 2, Angus Bell; 3, F. Leroy; 4, W. Carmichael.

Foot race for boys under 15—1, John F. Braden; 2, W. Gater; 3, Herbert King.

Foot race for girls under 15—1, Jessie Matthias; 2, Jessie Craigie; 3, Irene Moore.

Foot race for boys under 10—1, D. Heale; 2, F. Geale; 3, Alfie Steele.

Foot race for girls under 10—1, Maude Carter; 2, Irene Muir; 3, May Catterall.

Foot race for boys under 18—1, Charles Muir; 2, G. Tite. This race was a very keen one, Fawcett, Stark, Jones, King, Irvine and Norton, the other competitors, making the winners work hard for their money.

Half-mile race, navy and military—1, Rourke; 2, Kennedy, both of "C" battery.

Tug of war, Citizens v. Members of Sir William Wallace Society—In this event the "civilians" had it pretty much their own way, pulling the society's men over in three quick straights.

Walking match, two miles, (handicap)—A splendid match, well worth seeing. Shade, who was heavily handicapped, gave a first class exhibition of square and easy walking, and came in a cool winner by three-fourths of a lap, with W. Deasy second, and F. Leroy third. F. Holland, the fourth entry, dropped out of the race during the second mile.

Throwing heavy hammer—1, D. H. Cameron, 99 feet; 2, J. A. Murray, 89 feet; 3, J. Earsman, 72 feet 6 inches.

Putting heavy shot—1, D. H. Cameron, 28 feet 1 inch; 2, J. A. Murray, 25 feet 2 inches; 3, J. Earsman, 21 feet 11 inches; 4, D. H. Anderson, 21 feet 4 inches.

Sack race—1, "Jumbo;" 2, "Creeping Jimmy."

Three-legged race—1, Deasy and Moss; 2, Tate and Stark.

Old Man's race (over 50 years)—1, R. Cessford; 2, C Squeres 3, T J Partridge.

Hurdle race—1, Fisher; 2, — Meynard. The other entries in this race were Dunne, Bell, Brimstone, Deasy and Leroy. All ran well.

SCOTTISH DANCES.

Immediately after the sports of the day had been disposed of, the competitions in dancing were announced.

The Highland fling was well danced by J. A. Murray, Carmichael, Beaton and McKay, and Miss Louisa Millington. The first prize was awarded to Mr. Murray, and an additional prize was also given to Miss Millington.

Messrs. Beaton and McLaren were the only competitors in the Sailors' hornpipe; Mr. Beaton taking the first prize.

The sword dance was next in order; Mr. Carmichael taking first, and Mr. Murray second prize.

For being the best dressed boy in Highland costume, Master Charles J. Sheppard, took first prize, although the other competitors, King Ragazoni, W. Rynal Rookely and D. MacKay, were all very neatly dressed in the costume of the clans.

The best dressed girl in Highland dress was declared to be Miss Ella Whitlaw. Miss Hattie MacKay and Miss R. V. Sheppard contested her right to the title.

IN THE EVENING.

Notwithstanding the chilliness of the evening, there was a large attendance at the grounds from 8 o'clock until 11. A number of electric lights made every part of the grounds as bright as day; the flashing lights and multitude of flags and banners combining to make a very pretty scene. The dancing floor was in constant use during the evening, Prof. Baernstein's orchestra providing the music. The drone of the pipes was also to be heard at the scene of merriment until eleven o'clock, when the gates were closed, and the twenty-second annual gathering was at an end.

Each lady attending during the afternoon received a numbered ticket entitling her to one chance in the ladies' lottery, the prizes in which were; 1, lady's gold watch; 2, silver tea set; 3, jewel case; 4, album; 5, silver locket and chain; 6, Cairngorm brooch; 7, lady's companion; 8, sunshade; 9, lady's satchel. During the evening, the winning numbers were announced as follows: 1, 193; 2, 852; 3, 511; 4, 100; 5, 629; 6, (drawn); 7, 94; 8, 625; 9, 223.

EARLY BIRDS.

TO THE EDITOR,—The water, I see, was turned into the new stovepipe main on Monday morning at four o'clock, the chairman of the water committee and the water commissioner having left their warm beds, and in the chill air of the morning, "quietly and quickly" opened the valve and "let her go." Why was all this secrecy observed? What reason had the pair who have managed or mismanaged water matters for observing so much secrecy? On so important an occasion surely the other aldermen might have been asked to go and view the chairman and commissioner complete their work. The work, though, is scarcely complete yet, as I am told the farms along the route are flooded with water from leakages. But of course these can be soon remedied by the contractors.

Having exhibited so much unselfish devotion to the city's water service by depriving himself of his natural rest, it is a matter of wonder to his fellow aldermen that Ald. Coughlan does not attend council and introduce the by-law for borrowing money to pay for work done and add to the efficiency of the new main. It may interest your readers to know that the $75,000 borrowed for the proposed reservoir service has long ago disappeared; that $6000 was recently borrowed from the general revenue to pay the workmen who were digging the trench; that the Albion Iron Works Co. has yet to receive over $30,000 for pipes supplied and laid; that what the people were assured would be built for the money in hand, $75,000, will cost a sum 75 or 80 per cent. greater; that they will be called upon to vote money already spent, and that Ald. Couglan seems nervous about taking the initiatory step. As it has to be done, he might as well do it quickly, and the public will sooner get over their painful surprise. I hope a comprehensive statement of the past and proposed expenditure on water-works will be placed before the ratepayers, and another that will show to everyone what the money proposed to be borrowed is to be expended on, and that the estimates are correct and practical, and not misleading, as the one made for the 16-inch main has proved to be.

Deducting the Albion Iron Works contract price, it will be seen that in the neighborhood of $75,000 will have been spent in digging and refilling the trench—BY DAY LABOR! Have not the civic fathers overstepped their authority in doing this—if not, have they not made a most grievous and expensive mistake in carrying on the work by day labor instead of by contract? When the facts of the case are submitted to the ratepayers in detail, I think they will coincide with me that the expenditure on water works account has been most wasteful.

ONE OF THE TAXPAYERS.

A HOODLUM SHOW.

TO THE EDITOR:—Your notice of the performance of Lillie Clay's Gaiety Co. was very good and gave the readers of your paper a very clear idea of what the show was like, and it was not your place, I suppose, to preach. I am not a saint myself, but I have some regard for decency, and I claim to have some appreciation of what is really good in art. From that standpoint, and I must admit it is not the highest one, I consider that bringing such a show to this city was an insult to its citizens. It implied that in the estimation of the show-woman the citizens have neither any sense of propriety nor the slightest good taste. From your notice I conclude that there is nothing in the show to redeem its beastliness. No decent man, let his notions of what is proper in art be ever so liberal, would take his wife or his daughter to see the performance. This is enough to condemn it. Its influence was unqualifiedly bad and debasing. The people of Victoria should have too much respect for themselves ever again to countenance such a hoodlum exhibition. The shameless women should expose their persons to empty benches, and a shower of stale eggs would be the best way of convincing the still meaner and more shameless men who accompany them of the estimate in which they are held by the manhood of Victoria.

Yours, etc.,
A CITIZEN.

SHALL WE HAVE PEACE?

TO THE EDITOR,—To any one who has given the matter a thought, the statements of Mr. Higgins, in his reply yesterday to the Grand Prairie "Voice," must appear superficial and disingenuous. He claims that Mr. Jones' letter shows the real reason for the agitation in favor of the exchange, to wit, the defeat of the Canadian Western. This statement made by Mr. Higgins in the face of the fact that the exchange repeal was inaugurated two years before the Western Railway bill was brought before and approved by the house, and that, too, with the co-operation of Mr. Higgins, carries the conviction to my mind that Mr. Higgins is willing to perform any sleight of hand trick with his pen in order to score even an unimportant point in his favor. If nothing better than unsupported and deceptive assertions can be produced by your popularity-seeking correspondent, he should cease to attempt to scare your readers with the phantoms of his distorted imagination.

READER.

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When she was a Child,
She cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss,
She clung to Castoria.
When she had Children,
She gave them Castoria

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

CRICKET—VANCOUVER VS. H. M. S. CHAMPION.

This match, played on Wednesday at Hasting, resulted in a victory for the home club by an innings and eighty-nine runs. The first pair of Vancouver batsmen began well, and 61 had been scored before Coleman's excellent innings came to an end. The principal stand, however, was made by Clinton and Newington, who put on 108 for the fourth wicket. Both were in good form and obtained their long scores by thoroughly sound cricket. Williams made his 2– in seven hits and Trevan also got a few. Vaughan came out best among the Champion's bowlers and the paucity of extras speaks well for their fielding. The visitors (who played only ten men) found E. B. Prenter's bowling a hard nut to crack, and only two got into double figures in the first attempt. In the second innings, thanks mainly to the sound and determined batting of Lieut. Thomas, who carried out his bat for a capital 46, they reached a very creditable total; Colmore, Hodges and Vaughan all playing up well. Several bowlers were tried, Fripp and Prenter doing most execution. The leading feature of the game was the Parson's big innings, and much disappointment was felt that he did not reach the coveted "century."—Vancouver News-Advertiser.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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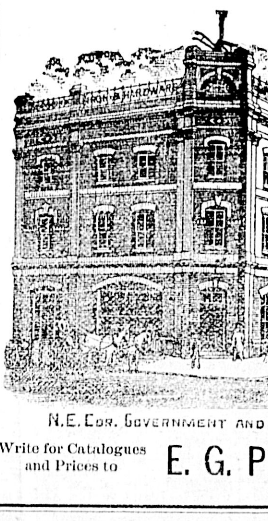

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